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In response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures, dated December 28, 2007, a copy of which is enclosed herewith, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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